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Kansas Cattle on Feed

U.S. Cattle on Feed

The number of **cattle on feed** on February 1, 2010 in Kansas feedlots with 1,000 head or more capacity totaled 2.24 million head, down 1 percent from a year ago and slightly below the number on hand January 1, 2010. **Placements** during January totaled 475,000 head, 9 percent higher than a year ago and 27 percent above December 2009 placements of 375,000 head. **Marketings** during January totaled 475,000 head, 10 percent above January 2009 and 7 percent above the previous month. **Other disappearance** was 10,000 head, down 5,000 from a year ago but unchanged from the previous month. The percent of January placements by weight was: under 600 pounds, 13 percent; 600-699 pounds, 26 percent; 700-799 pounds, 40 percent; and 800 pounds or heavier, 21 percent.

Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market in the United States from feedlots with capacity of 1,000 or more head totaled 11.0 million head on February 1, 2010. The inventory was 3 percent below February 1, 2009. **Placements** in feedlots during January totaled 1.83 million, 2 percent lower than 2009. Net placements were 1.76 million. During January, placements of cattle and calves weighing less than 600 pounds were 400,000, 600-699 pounds were 445,000, 700-799 pounds were 560,000, and 800 pounds and greater were 420,000. **Marketings** of fed cattle during January totaled 1.77 million, 2 percent above 2009. **Other disappearance** totaled 70,000 during January, 4 percent above 2009.

**Cattle on Feed, Placements, Marketings, and Other Disappearance,
1,000+ Head Capacity Feedlots, Selected States and United States, January - February 2009 - 2010**

State	Number on Feed ¹				January Placements	January Marketings		Other Disappearance during January ²		
	Jan 1 2010	February 1								
		2009	2010	% of 2009						
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>(%)</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
AZ.....	287	349	290	83	27	28	35	24	1	1
CA	465	480	455	95	51	54	59	57	2	7
CO	1,010	1,020	960	94	200	130	170	170	10	10
ID.....	215	215	205	95	37	30	41	39	1	1
IA.....	570	520	600	115	81	95	59	62	2	3
KS.....	2,250	2,260	2,240	99	435	475	430	475	15	10
NE.....	2,360	2,400	2,370	99	400	410	360	380	10	20
NM.....	(D)	158	(D)	(D)	9	(D)	13	(D)	2	(D)
OK	365	330	365	111	54	60	57	58	2	2
SD	235	225	235	104	43	35	35	34	3	1
TX.....	2,680	2,810	2,700	96	440	420	405	390	15	10
WA	166	151	166	110	30	29	35	28	1	1
Oth Sts ³	405	370	403	(X)	51	59	38	57	3	4
U.S.....	11,008	11,288	10,989	97	1,858	1,825	1,737	1,774	67	70

¹ Being fattened for slaughter market on grain or other concentrates to grade select or better. ² Includes death loss, movement from feedlots to pastures and shipments to other feedlots. ³ Beginning in July 2009, New Mexico is included in the Other State total. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (X) Comparison to 2009 is not applicable.

**Cattle on Feed: Number Placed on Feed by Weight Group,
1,000+ Head Capacity Feedlots, Selected States and United States, January 2009-2010**

State	Placed in January									
	Under 600 lbs.		600-699 lbs.		700-799 lbs.		800 Plus lbs.		Total	
	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
CO	20	20	55	25	55	45	70	40	200	130
KS.....	60	60	130	125	160	190	85	100	435	475
NE.....	65	70	95	110	130	120	110	110	400	410
TX	105	135	135	100	135	115	65	70	440	420
Other States	130	115	90	85	73	90	90	100	383	390
U.S.	380	400	505	445	553	560	420	420	1,858	1,825

Kansas Milk Production Down 8.0 Percent and U.S. Down 0.6 Percent

The January 2010 **milk production in Kansas** totaled 207 million pounds, up 1 percent from December 2009 but down 8 percent from January 2009. The **production per cow** averaged 1,785 pounds, unchanged from December 2009 but down 15 pounds from January 2009. The **number of milk cows** was estimated at 116,000 head, up 1,000 head from December 2009 but down 9,000 head from the previous year.

Milk production in the 23 major States during January totaled 14.8 billion pounds, down 0.6 percent from January 2009. December production, revised at 14.6 billion pounds, was down 0.7 percent from December 2008. **Production per cow** in the 23 major States averaged 1,782 pounds for January, 30 pounds above January 2009. The **number of milk cows** on farms in the 23 major States was 8.32 million head, 191,000 head below January 2009, but 4,000 head above December 2009.

United States and Canadian Cattle Inventory Down 1 Percent

All cattle and calves in the U.S. and Canada combined totaled 106.7 million head on January 1, 2010, down 1 percent from the 107.7 million on January 1, 2009. All cows and heifers that have calved, at 45.9 million head, were down 2 percent from a year ago.

All cattle and calves in the United States as of January 1, 2010, totaled 93.7 million head, 1 percent below the 94.5

million on January 1, 2009. All cows and heifers that have calved, at 40.5 million head, were down 1 percent from a year ago.

All cattle and calves in Canada as of January 1, 2010, totaled 13.0 million head, down 1 percent from the 13.2 million on January 1, 2009. All cows and heifers that have calved, at 5.45 million, were down 3 percent from a year ago.

Cattle And Calves: Number By Class and Calf Crop,
Total for United States and Canada, January 1, 2008-2010 ¹

Class	2008	2009	2010	2010 as % of 2009
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>Percent</i>
Cattle and Calves	109,930	107,701	106,716	99
Cows & Heifers That Have Calved	47,658	46,674	45,909	98
Beef Cows.....	37,417	36,326	35,847	99
Milk Cows.....	10,241	10,312	10,062	98
All Other Cattle	62,271	61,030	60,808	100
Calf Crop ²	41,441	40,929		

¹ Totals may not add due to rounding. ² January to December calf crop. Source: National Agricultural Statistics Service and Livestock and Animal Products Section, Statistics Canda